Month	No. of persons Killed
January 1993	8
February, 1993	5
March, 1993	14
April, 1993	13
May, 1993	17
June, 1993	18

(b) 72 persons were killed in road accidents in Delhi under D.T.C. Buses between January, 1992 to June, 1992 as per month-wise details given below:—

Month	No. of persons Killed
January, 1992	11
February, 1992	16
March, 1992	10
April, 1992	9
May, 1992	9
June, 1992	17
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Development of National Highway from Gooty to Karwar

443. SHRI J. P. JAVALI: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the construction of a National Highway from Gooty in Andhra to Karwar in Karnataka is pending implementation;

(b) if so, reasons for the delay; and

(c) what is the projected time frame to connect National Highway 7 with National Highway 17?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): (a) to (c) The State Government of Karnataka has been representing to the Central Government from time to time for declaration of the road in question as National Highway. However, it has not been possible to do so far want of funds and other priority considerations.

Development of Mangalore and Karwar Ports

444. SHRI B. K. HARIPRASAD: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the on-going negotiations with the Hyundai Corporation of South Korea for a tie-up with Hindustan Shipyard for its Cochin and Vizag facilities, have broken down and if so, the reasons therefor; and

(b) whether Government would offer alternative proposals to Hyundai for augmenting Mangalore Port facilities and to develop Karwar into an 'A' Class Port and also to set-up a shipbreaking facility in the Karnataka coast